

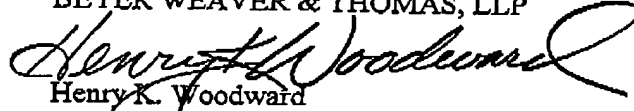
REMARKS

Claims 2-10 remain in the application, with claim 2 rewritten in independent form. Claim 1 is now cancelled.

The Examiner has indicated that claims 2-10 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. By the present amendment, claim 2 is so rewritten in independent form with claims 3-10 dependent therefrom. Accordingly, claims 2-10 should now be in condition for allowance and issue.

Should the Examiner have any comments or questions concerning the present amendment and response, a telephone call to the undersigned attorney is requested.

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